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Patentee respectfully requests that the attached Certificate of Correction be signed and sealed. The attached Certificate of Correction lists the following corrections:

Column 6, line 59: "housing portion" should read --housing--.

Column 6, line 60: "housing portion" should read --housing--.

Column 6, line 62: "housing portion" should read --housing--.

Column 7, line 2: "wherein the magnet element has a peripheral region, the first housing including at least one housing portion to extend along the peripheral region of the magnet element, the housing further comprising a pair of housing portions," should read -- wherein the magnet element has a peripheral region, the housing further comprising a pair of housing portions --.

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